

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Jürgen Büssert
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Examiner: Paliwal, Yogesh
Title: **ENCRYPTION OF CONTROL
PROGRAMS**

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Dear Sir:

**REQUEST FOR INDICATION OF CONSIDERATION OF INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT SUBMITTED BEFORE MAILING OF THE NOTICE
OF ALLOWANCE**

For reasons set forth below, **it is respectfully requested that the PTO promptly forward this Request to Examiner Yogesh Paliwal** for consideration of the following:

On March 27, 2006, Applicant filed an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) with a PTO 1449 form attached. The IDS was received at the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office on March 27, 2006, as evidenced on the attached Postcard Acknowledgment Receipt. However upon receipt of the Notice of Allowance and Fee(s) Due mailed July 27, 2009, the Examiner did not attach the initialed PTO form 1449 to confirm that submitted Reference "A" was considered.

Accordingly, **Applicant hereby requests that the Examiner initial the PTO 1449 forms for the attached Information Disclosure Statements filed March 27, 2006**, to indicate that the references were properly considered during examination of this application.

CONCLUSION

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any additional fees necessary or credit any overpayments to effectuate this filing to King & Spalding L.L.P. Deposit Account Number 50-4871.

If there are any matters concerning this Application that may be cleared up in a telephone conversation, please contact Applicant's attorney at 512-457-2030.

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